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Mrs. Frank Thompson and daughter, Ruth, of Sedalia, visited relatives in this city last week.

Mrs. D. G. Newsome returned from an extended stay with relatives in the state of Washington.

Rev. and Mrs. R. A. Wright are attending a meeting of the State Holiness association which is being held at Joplin.

Mrs. J. O. Rogers left last week for Colorado, where she is visiting her son, Harvey Rogers, and daughter, Mrs. Susie Guinn.

Misses Jennie and Judith Baskerville, of Deepwater township, were in the city one day last week to take the train for Minnesota, where they are enjoying the breezes from the lakes in that country.

Mrs. C. M. Leedy, who visited relatives in this city the latter part of the week, has returned to her home at Rich Hill.

Big selection of Duofolds, \$28 to \$42, Murray. 45-21

Rev. J. W. Pritchett, presiding elder of the Nevada district of the M. E. church, South, preached at the Butler church Sunday morning.

We have an extra line of rockers from \$1.00 up, Murray. 45-21

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Duvall and son, Leslie, returned last week from the wilds of Colorado, where they have been spending the last two weeks.

See us for your new bed and mattress, big stock and low prices, Murray's. 45-21

Cook stoves and ranges, biggest line in Bates county. See us. We can suit you in size and price, Murray. 45-21

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Kimble, of the Spruce neighborhood were in the city Monday and complimented this office by dropping in for a little social visit.

Lost—After July 5th, a \$100 Liberty Loan bond of the third issue, No. 2432487. Suitable reward will be paid for this bond if returned to the Missouri State Bank. 45-11

Miss Julia Bullock, who returned last week from Warrensburg where she had been attending the State Normal, left the first of the week for Florence, Montana, where she will teach school this winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred I. Glenn drove over to Sedalia one day last week and took in the State fair. They went by the way of Windsor and paid a visit to Chas. Burgess, one time editor and owner of the Democrat of this city.

Elmer Campbell and Ansel Rook, of the postoffice force and their families and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Rook left early Monday morning, overland, for Noel, in the White river country, where they expect to spend about a week.

J. E. Zwahlen, who travels in the north part of the state, writes us from Brookfield that on account of the dry weather crop conditions are serious in that part of the country. They had a nice rain Monday, but need a whole lot more.

During the storm of Wednesday night of last week, the residence of A. O. Welton, on the corner of Broadway and Atkinson avenue, was struck by lightning and set on fire. The fire was extinguished before a great amount of damage had been done.

Mrs. Will Fritts and little son, William, came up from Rich Hill Wednesday noon, for a visit with relatives and friends in this city.

Carl Neiman, one of Hudson township's substantial citizens, and a good friend of The Times, called and had the dates set ahead on his paper one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Fortune, old residents of Rich Hill, left Tuesday morning for Kansas City, where they will make their future home, says the Rich Hill Review.

Our extra heavy purchases made early allow us to make extremely low prices on stoves and furniture. See us before you buy, Murray's, South Side Furniture Store. 45-21

According to letters received from Harry Crow, who left Butler with the last draft contingent, he has been sent from Jefferson Barracks, to a camp at Waco, Texas.

Mrs. Ida Weaver and little daughter, Ruth, who were called here by the death of Mrs. Weaver's mother, Mrs. D. Sherman, have returned to their home at Ottawa, Kansas.

The two cottages on Maple street, belonging to the Steele estate and occupied by R. C. Lotspeich and W. E. Welton, have been sold and the boys are spending their extra time these warm days house hunting.

Tuesday about noon as Claude McCombs was doing some electric wiring at the Norfleet & Ream garage, on Ohio street, he fell from the ladder on which he was standing. He fell about ten feet and broke his right arm at the elbow.

County Clerk Frank Holland spent a few days the last of the week at the Great Lakes, Illinois, naval training school visiting his son, R. D. Holland, who was deputy county clerk until he enlisted in the navy some time ago and is now undergoing training at that place.

Prof. Fred Patrick, the new superintendent of the Butler schools, with his family, has arrived and is getting things lined up for the opening of the schools, which will be Monday, September 2. The Professor and family are at home in the Adair property on High street.

Postmaster and Mrs. J. E. Williams and son, Walter, and daughter, Miss Martha, and Recorder of Deeds Chas. Fortune and Mrs. Fortune, left last week for an overland trip to Noel, down in the Ozarks, where they spent several days, just resting and having a good time generally.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Deacon left last week for Fondulac, Wisconsin, where Mrs. Deacon will spend the remainder of the heated term. Mr. Deacon will return in about a week. Mr. and Mrs. Deacon are old residents of Fondulac, coming from there to this city about 30 years ago.

W. O. Jackson went over to Sedalia last week and took in the State fair and attended a meeting of the county chairman of the Four Minute Men. The next Liberty Loan and other matters of interest, pertaining to the War Saving and Thrift Stamp drives were discussed.

J. R. Hughes, of the Amsterdam neighborhood, was a caller at this office Saturday afternoon. Mr. Hughes has been a resident of that neighborhood for the last 40 years and says that this is the driest summer that he remembers during that time. Most of the corn in that neighborhood will hardly make fodder, let alone corn.

Mrs. A. F. Wyard, of St. Louis, arrived the first of the week and is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Barkley. Mrs. Wyard is one of Butler's old time residents, having resided here from immediately after the civil war until a few years ago, when she moved to St. Louis. Her husband was one of the pioneer harness makers of Bates county.

Our good friend Coleman Snodgrass, of the Spruce neighborhood, made this office a pleasant call while in the city one day the last of the week. Mr. Snodgrass is one of the most prominent of the younger democrats of the east part of the county and is certain that this is a democratic year and the whole ticket, county, state and national will be elected by record breaking majorities.

Albert M. Porter, of Amsterdam, was a business visitor to Butler Tuesday. Mr. Porter has taken the agency for the Sayers automobile in five counties in the western part of Missouri and eastern Kansas and while the Sayers is a comparatively new car to this part of the country it looks to be a comer. It is made by the Sayers & Scoville manufacturing company, which in itself is a guarantee of its quality.

J. E. Leonard, one of the best men in this section of the country, called at this office Monday and had the dates on his paper advanced and his son advanced. Something over a year ago Mr. Leonard had the misfortune to have a horse kick him on the leg below the knee. The leg was so badly crushed that it is some shorter than it should be and makes it impossible for him to get around with his old time vim, but he still makes a hand when it comes to riding a gang plow.

Judge W. T. Cole dropped into The Times office Monday and observed his custom of many years by having the dates on his paper advanced another year and also ordered the paper sent to his two daughters, Mrs. J. E. Forbes, of Kansas City, Kansas, and Mrs. Dan Monahan, of Kansas City, Missouri. The Judge is somewhat troubled by a recurrence of his old trouble, a diseased facial nerve. He had a very serious time with it last winter and finally went to Kansas City, where he underwent a surgical operation in hopes of getting relief. The relief was only partial and it will probably be necessary to have another operation before he is completely cured.

Mrs. J. J. Cameron, of South Mechanic street, received word the first of the week that her nephew, Claude Pahlman, had been killed in France July 25. The letter was from his parents and gave no particulars. He was a son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Pahlman, for many years residents of the west part of the county and who moved to Vernon county some years ago.

Paul Levy, of the Sam Levy Mercantile company, returned the last of the week from a buying trip to New York. He reports the feeling in regard to the war as being much higher in the east than in this country, the reason being, perhaps, that they see more war preparations, being nearer to the ports of embarkation, but while the feeling may be higher in the east, the west will at all times be found right on the dot ready to do her part and a little bit more.

N. E. Young, engineer for the Allen Coal Co., at Worland in the western part of Bates county, received injuries Monday evening from which he died three hours later. Mr. Young had gone to Pittsburg, Kas., where he purchased an automobile and was driving to his home at Worland, when near Pleasanton, Kas., the car was struck by a Frisco train and completely demolished. Mr. Young had both arms and one leg broken and his skull was crushed.—Rich Hill Review.

John Stangle, engineer at the ice plant at Rich Hill, was a county seat visitor one day the latter part of the week. The Rich Hill folks have been a little more fortunate or a little more farsighted than Butler. They have had plenty of water and ice during the present hot dry spell. Nearly every night autos from Butler go down there and get supplies of ice for private individuals and on Saturday night trucks went down and bought several loads of ice which were retailed on the streets.

One of Butler's prominent business men was arrested last week charged with using water for purposes forbidden by the mayor in his proclamation. This is a time when a man can well forego certain of his supposed rights for the benefit of his neighbors and the public generally. The mayor in his proclamation called attention to the scarcity of water and asked that it be used as sparing as possible and forbid that it be used at all for sprinkling, washing automobiles and other purposes not absolutely necessary.

D. C. Mize, of the Foster neighborhood, was a county seat visitor Tuesday and complimented this office with a social call. He had brought over his season's crop of wool, which he sold to a local dealer. He has 20 head of Shropshire sheep from which he clipped 82 pounds of wool. He reports that most of the farmers in his neighborhood are hauling water both for household use and for their stock. He is looking forward to a big time at the Ex-Confederate reunion which is to be held next month at Tulsa, Oklahoma, provided he can get off the water wagon long enough to go.

Miss Ruth Scroggs, who is now employed as an operator at the switchboard of The Cass County Telephone Company in Harrisonville, spent the most recent week-end with her parents, the Rev. and Mrs. George R. Scroggs, in Butler. The Rev. Mr. Scroggs and family will soon be permanently located in this city, where he has accepted the regular pastorate of the Harrisonville Presbyterian Church. They will occupy the place known as the Colonel Robert T. Bailey home on "Quality Hill."—Cass County Democrat.

While no official report of the meeting of the Republican Committee of the Sixth Congressional District has been received, it is whispered that there were high old times in Clinton over the election of the members of the state committee. The Atkinson faction were in the saddle and in spite of threats that "sparks would fly in Bates county," ran the steam roller over the Chambers crowd in a manner which was rough to say the least.

Sergt. Volney McFadden, of the photographic department of the aviation corps, arrived from Rochester, New York, Saturday and is spending a furlough with his parents, Judge and Mrs. J. W. McFadden, at Virginia. Sergt. McFadden has finished his course at Rochester and is now waiting assignment to active duty. He will probably be sent to France in the near future as the army there is very short of men in the photographic department. He resigned a good position with the custodian of alien property in Washington to enlist in the army.

Butler Lodge No. 958 B. P. O. Elks last week received one of the most beautiful service flags that has been seen in this city. It bears 32 stars representing that many young men, members of the local lodge, who are now in the military service of the country. Embroidered on each star is the name of the member that the star represents. One of the principle lessons taught in an Elks lodge is patriotism and the Butler lodge has a larger per cent of its members with the colors than any other lodge in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Gibbens of Kansas City are spending the week end among friends in Bates county. Mr. Gibbens spent the greater portion of his boyhood days in North Bates. His parents, Dr. and Mrs. M. E. Gibbens, were old settlers of this city. Mr. Gibbens taught school here in 1885 when Prof. Star was here. He went to Kansas City in 1888, where he was employed by the Times for seven years after which he was employed by the city as its humane officer for nine years. For the past nine years he has been in the employ of the Parole Department of the Board of Public Welfare of Kansas City. Mr. and Mrs. Gibbens are active in church, Bible school and social work, and Red Cross and Soldier and Soldier Community activities through the Hyde Park Christian church in West Port vicinity.

Former Bates County Boy Killed in France.

George W. McDaniel, who at one time was a resident of this county, but now of Miller county, who has been spending the last few weeks in this county visiting at the home of his brother, J. B. H. McDaniels, and other relatives and friends, has received the following telegram:

Washington, D. C.

George W. McDaniel,

Bagnell, Missouri.

Deeply regret to inform you that your son, Private Chas. McDaniel, infantry, is officially reported as having been killed in action July fourteenth.

McCain.

Adjutant General.

Young McDaniels had been in the service about six months. He enlisted from Bagnell, Miller county.

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